

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.	:	10/781,951	Art Unit	2416
Applicant	:	Walton et al.	Confirmation No.	4445
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 3, 2010, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 3, 2010, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.